Yesterday. BLUEBIRDS WIN FIRST

Sanford's Home-Run Hit Accomplished the Work-Brilliant Playing on Both Sides-The League

Richmond, 6; Lynchburg, 5. Richmond, 5; Lynchburg, 9. Norfolk, 5; Petersburg, 2. Norfolk, 14; Petersburg, 5. Ronnoke, 7; Portsmouth, 5.

Games Elsewhere-The Features.

	Richmond.	Petersburg.	Portsmouth.	Lynchburg.	Norfolk	Eoanoke.	Won.	
Richmond Petersburg. Portsm'utb. Lynchburg. Norfolk Roanoke Lost	3 8 9 9 7	4 6 4 7 3 24	3 3 4 4 19	4 1 1 1 10	4 2 3 3 15	2 5 5 5 3	17 10 17 25 19 15	.500 .294 .475 .714 .556 .455

LYNCHBURG, VA., May 27.-(Special.) Richmond and Lynchburg played two games here this afternoon, breaking even on the final result. Every player was on his mettle, and both games proved intensely interesting to the large crowd of enthusiastic spectators. The Bluebirds captured the first game, a home-run hit by Sanford in the eighth inning accomolishing the work. But for an error by Dolan in the first inning, letting in two runs, the Tobacconists would have won out, but, fortunately, for Richmond, or, unfortunately, for Lynchburg, runs made on errors always count. Poth Tannehill and Boylan pitched fine ball, the latter holding the visitors down to six hits, and, if anything, having a little the best of the contest. Many brilliant plays were made on both sides, the features of the batting being home-run hits by McGann, Dolan, and Sanford. The second game, while not so closely

contested, was equally as interesting as the first, and when Lynchburg took a decisive lead in the first inning the enthusiasm of the rooters knew no bounds. McFariand was in the box for Lynchburg. and pitched a strong, heady game. While allowing eleven hits, he kept them well scattered, except in the fourth inning. when a base hit by Pender, a two-bagger by Boland, a three-begger by Wilson, and a two-bagger by Berte netted the visitors three runs. After this, though they played snappy ball, they were not in the game. Gilpatrick was touched up for eighteen hits, the Tobacconists finding him with ease. As in the first game, many brilliant plays were made, noticeably the fleiding of Smith and Groves

tinguishing himself. Score: FIRST GAME.

in centre field, the former especially dis-

Pickering, 1. f	1	2	1	0
Leahy, S. S	- 1	ű	6	
Dolan 2b	1		1	
McGann, 2b2	22		2	
Smith, c. f	2			0
Little, 1b	1			0
Fear, c	0	3	0	0
Glenn, r. f0	0	1	.0	0
Boylan, P0	1	0	4	.0
	***	200	-	-
Totals	- 9	24	14	2
Richmond. B.	22.	. 00:	A	Bie:
Wain r f	1	1	0	1
Cantord 1 f	- 2	0	- 0	- 0
Groves, c. f	- 0	-	. 0	
Pender, 2b1	1.	- 22	- 4	30.0
Wells, 1b	- 12		0	
Boland, c1	- 1:		1	
Zimmerman, 3b	1	2	1	
Borte, s. s	0	2	13	0
Tannchill, p0	0	1	7	
	-		10	-
Totals		27	16	1
SCORE BY INNING	181			

122456789 Lynchburg. 211100000-5 Wentz, 2b. 5 1 2 6 4
Richmond. 4000011*-6 Ramp, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0
Pfanmiller, p. 3 1 0 2 11 Richmond, 3. Two-base hit-Zimmerman, Three-base hit-McGann. Home runs-McGann, Dolan, and Sanford, Struck out-By Boylan, 2; by Tannehill, 6. Bases on balls-By Boylan, 2; by Tannehill, 1. SECOND GAME.

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SCORE BY INNINGS,

Play Ball Here To-Day.

Richmond broke even with Lynchburg in the last series, but lost ground in the percentage column, as Norfolk forged on ahead, and now leads us by 29 points.

Right-Fielder Bradley has been farmed out to Petersburg, subject to a recall at any time. He will play with the Farmers to-day in Lynchburg.

The Bluebirds will return to Richmond this morning, and this afternoon they will tackle the Roanoke Goals at West-End Park.

Park.
Zimmerman's injury greatly ctipples the
Richmond team, and Bradley will be
needed this week. He ought not to have
been farmed out. He is too good a player
for that, and the Bluebirds need a utility

Woodberry Forest Wins.

A special received by the Dispatch last hight from Orange says: "Woodberry Forest High School defrated Locust Dale Academy here to-day by the score of 12 to 4 in a beautifully played game. Taylor and Acorsini did the battery work for Woodberry. while 'King' Lawson and Lagrande were in the points for Locust Dale. Taylor pitched a beautiful game, allowing only four hits to be made off his delivery, while the boys from Woodberry batted out fourteen hits."

ROANOKE WINS ANOTHER.

Portsmouth's National League

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Pitcher Had to Be Lectured.
ROANOKE, VA., May 7.—(Special.)—
The prospect of losing two games in succession evidently made Portsmouth's
National-League pitcher very sore, and
Lampe played the most discreditable ball
tampe played the most discreditable ball
to-day that has characterized the game on
the Roanoke diamond for a long time.

Campfield, and Wilson.
QUAKERS WIN AGAIN.
PHILADELPHIA, May 27.—Philadelphia
defeated Chicago again to-day. McMillan
and McFarland were liberal with bases on
balls. The former was the more effective,
however, when men were on bases, although he was hit harder than the visiting twirler. The local players fielded
sharply. Weather clear, Attendance, 5-Weather clear. Attendance,

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Philadelphia00203300x-8 6 1
Batteries: McFarland and Kittredge;
McGill and Boyle.
ST. LOUIS SHUT OUT.
BALTIMORE, MD., May 27.—St. Louis
batsmen were unable to connect with
Hoffer's delivery to-day, and they were
shut out. The Baltimore twitler was shut out. The Baltimore twirler was in prime form, and pitched even a better game than the score shows. Attendance 3,425. Score: R. H. E.

tenstein and McFarland. BEAN-EATERS WIN.

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BOSTON, MASS, May 27.—Boston won to-day. The same was five times tied, and Boston tied in the eighth, when it was eight rans to the bad, and won out in the ninth, after Pittsburg had taken the lead on the Lyons home-run. Hawley went in to pitch in the eighth, after Killen had been hit for five singles and a double. Mains replaced Stivetts in the eighth, and gave four bases on balls in succession. Nichols pitched in the in succession. Nichols pitched in the ninth. It was the official opening of the senson, and a representative crowd turn-ed out. Attendance, 8,681.

Score: R. H. Pittsburg 9 1 0 1 2 3 2 3 1-14 15 Boston ... 200210082-15 17 Eatterles: Hawley, Killen, and Sugden: Stivetts, Mains, Nichols, and Gan-

FRAZER TOO GENEROUS. FRAZER TOO GENEROUS.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 27,—Fraze, was too generous to the Brooklyns to day. In the sixth inning he sent two men to first base on called balls, hit two batters, and, when Griffin hit a shor bounder, he made a high throw to first Daub contributed a hit, and five Brooklynites crossed the plate. The Louisville bunched their hits off Abbey, who retires ofter the first inning. Daub was will designed to the first inning. after the first inning. Daub was wild, but steadled when there were men on bases. Attendance, 2,509.

Batteries: Fraz Abbey, and Grim.

SENATORS INDIFFERENT.
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27.—Cincinnati won to-day by taking advantage of the home team's misplays and batting German opportunely. Ehret was an enigma, and there was not a hit made off him until the fifth inning. His support was very ragged. The Washingtons played an all-round indifferent game, and deserved defeat. Attendance, 2,009. Score:

R. H. E. Washington000030003-6 8

incinnati 0 4 0 2 1 1 0 2 0-10 10 Batteries: German and McGuire; Ehret and Vaughn. NORFOLK, VA., May 27.-(Special.)-HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

Won, Lost, Pr.C.
 Clubs.
 Won

 Cincinnati
 22

 Cleveland
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 Boston
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 Baltimore
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SCHEDULE FOR TO-DAY. Pittsburg at Boston. Cleveland at New York.

Cincinnati at Washington, Louisville at Brooklyn. Chicago at Philadelphia. St. Louis at Baltimore SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Birmingham......010200102-6 11 5 Montgomery00010024*-7 8 1 Batteries: Sparks and Rappold; Balley

Second game: Second game: Birmingham . . .130001101-7 9 7 Montgomery . . .31200150*-10 11 3 Batteries: McDonald. Adams, and Rappold; Sheehan and Kehoe.

NEW YORK STEEPLECHASING.

Third and Last Day of Monmouth Park Meet. MONMOUTH PARK, May 27.—This was the third and last day of the New York steeplechase meeting. The attendance

steepiechase meeting. The attendance was quite large.

First race—one and a half miles, over six hurdles—Red Cloud (55, Taliman, 11 to 5) won, with Watchman second, and Flushing third. Time, 2:531-2.

Second race—steeplechase, about two miles and a half—Mars Chan (50, Taliman, 3 to 5) won, with Patrolman second.

Seer ran out and did not finish. Only Spot ran out and did not finish. (Only

three started.) Time, 5:05. Third race-Grand International Steeple chase, four miles-The Peer (163, Brazil, to 5) won. Sayonara broke down at the tenth jump and did not finish. (Only two

starters.) Time, 9:00.
Fourth , race—Knickerbocker Hurdle Handicap, two and a half miles, over ten flights of hurdles-Addle (152, Chandler, to I) won, with Annie Bishop second, and to I) won, with Time, 4:58. Fifth race—the Amphibious High-Weight

Handicap, mile-Kennell (125, McCafferty, 6 to 1) won, with Mirage second, and Rubleon third. Time, 1:43.

EVENTS AT LAKESIDE. EVENTS AT LAKESIDE.
CHICAGO, May 27.—Favorites fared
badly at Lakeside to-day, as only one,
Easter Eve, won. The finishes in a majority of the races were close and exciting, and especially the last, in which Panout, Hi Henry, and Outgo crossed the finish heads apart in the order named. First race—six furlongs—Beryl Star (108,

First race—six furious—Beryl Star (10), Warren, 11 to 5) won, with Mildred D. second and Cologne third. Time, 1:171-2. Second race—four furious—Easter Eve (29, Magnussen, 8 to 5) won, with Van-nessa second and Ethel Farrell third.

Third race-six furlongs-Bob Lee COL Davis, 8 to 1) won, with Lollie Eastin second and Lucinda third. Time, 1:1514. Fourth race-mile and a quarter-Sunny 62, Dorsey, 6 to 1) won, with Jack the Jew second, and Dick Tension third.

Time, 2.07%.

Fifth race-five and a half furlongsRevenue (112, C. Sloan, 50 to 1) won,
with Nannie D. second, and Excuse third. Sixth race-six furlongs-Panout (188, Burns, 6 to 1) won, with Hi Henry second, and Outgo third. Time, 1:15%.

CINCINNATI TRACK.

DARLEY RACE-TRACK, May 21.—For the first time since the meeting opened the track was fast to-day. Ida Pickwick scored her first win of the season in the fourth race. Three favorites, two second choices, and one outsider won. Weather fine; attendance, 2,000. First race-five furlongs-Delcinia (100,

First race—five furlongs—Dulcinia (100, Bunn, 6 to 1) won, with Chappy second, and Adowa third. Time, 1:0234.

Second race—seven furlongs—Robinson (86, Higgins, 6 to 1) won, with Old Centre second, and Clissie B, third. Time, 127%.

Third race—four and a half furlongs—Calvero (108, Bunn, 4 to 5) won, with Iron Mistress second, and Grayling third. Time, 56.

Time, 56.
Fourth race—mile and a furlong—Ida
Pickwick (109, R. Williams, 3 to 5) won,
with Grannan second, and Semper Lex
third, Time, 1:57½.
Fifth race—one mile—Ondague (195,
Thorp, 3 to 1) won, with Lily of the West
second, and Elsie D. D., H. third, Time,
1:4314.

Fifth race—one mile—Ondague (196, pressed themselves as opposed to the introduction of the color line into the second, and Elsie D. D., II, third, Time, 1:43½.

Sixth race—seven furlougs—Iselin (194, Vankuren, 4 to 1) won, with Chicot second, and Springvale third. Time, 1:28, reached. An effort was made to have a been lost in the chops of the Channel."

THE PRESBYTERIANS.

that had greeted the team when they came on the field. Attendance, 6,000. Fred. Prefer has been released by the New York Club. Topics for Young People's Socities Proyided by Southern Assembly.

COLOR-LINE QUESTION COMES UP.

It Gives Rise to a Stirring Woodrow-The "Busy Demons of

MEMPHIS. TENN., May 27 .- (Special.) After devotional services and roll-call, an overture from the Presbytery of Fayetteville on doctrine and one from Orange Presbytery on publication of literature as to colored evangelization were answered in the negative. On one from Transylvania Presbytery as to the preparation of topics for young peoples' societies, the committee recommended that the Publication Committee look into and do what it will in regard to them. After some discussion by Dr. W. D. Morton, Dr. J. S. Parks, and others, a substitute was adopted directing the Publication Committee to prepare such a series of

On the overture from Lexington Prebytery in regard to cheaper religious they do not see how the assembly can deal with this matter in any practicable

manner.

An animated discussion took place as An animated discussion took place as to depositories for the sale of our publications. The Rev. H. B. Price and Dr. J. I. Vance approved. Dr. Harzen disapproved. The report of the committee was adopted, that this plan could not be adopted. It was ordered that a Special committee be appointed to arrange for the celebration of the 250th anniversal to the celebration of the ce sary of the Westminster Assembly at the next meeting of the General Assembly. The report of the Foreign Miss was taken from the docket, con

idered, and adopted.

At the afternoon session the report of the special committee on Sunday schools was adopted, including a direction to the Publication Committee to appoint an editor for the literature of our Church.

The assembly heard the judicial case from Charleston Presbytery as to receiving a young colored man as a candidate

CHURCH AND STATE.

MEMPHIS, TENN., May 27.—The assembly opened at 2 o'clock with devo-tional exercises by Rev. W. T. Palmer, of Trenton, Tenn. After the usual open-ing routine, Dr. J. P. Smith, of Richmond, Va., desired to record his vote in the nega-tive on the question of State aid to the

Va., desired to record his vote in the negative on the question of State aid to the school at Fredericksburg. Notice was given of protest on the same subject.

Rev. Dr. L. P. Bowen, of the Committee on Publication, submitted answers to overtures in its hands. The question of young people's societies, now agitating all the churches, cropped up in connection with a request for the preparation of doctrinal topics for young people's meetings. Dr. Parks champiened the cause of the young people. The committee opposed the preparation of such topics, but the assembly decided by a large majority in their favor. The assembly decided that it could no

terfere with the prices of religious pa

A long debate followed on the establish ment of branch depositories of the publication-house in Atlanta, Memphis, another cities, Dr. Hazen, secretary of the Publication Committee, said that "the establishment of such depositories would cripple and eventually destroy the publication." ation work of the Church, by dividia and impairing its capital, now barely sufficient. It would be absurd from a business standpoint. We do not object to local depositories, if supported by local A large majority decided against the de-

"BUSY DEMONS OF THE PRESS." The report of the Committee on Publication was read and docketed. It refers to "the busy demons of the press," which the Church must fight with their own weapons; commends the work of the Excutive Committee, and recommends its

eappointment.
The Bills and Overtures Committee ther reported, clearing their hands of several unimportant papers, which passed without debate. The foreign missions report was taken from the docket and adopted by sections. The economy of the Executive Committee is commended. The treatsury is out of debt. Regrets are expressed that 1,639 churches have not given to for-eign missions, and the report blames the ministers for failure to present the

Action was taken disposing of mission The assembly then took a recess till 3 P. M.

The assembly was called to order at 1 P. M. Rev. J. S. Moore, D. D., of Sher-man, Tex., presented the report of the special Committee on Sabbath-School Secary. Replying to an overture which d been placed in its hands, it recom-ended "that the Executive Committee Publication be instructed to employ suitable man to give his whole time to eveloping the Sunday-school work and rtage, as a missionary

QUESTION OF COLOR. A telegram of greeting was received from the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, in session at Birmingham.

A judicial case involving the question of color was then taken up, and the assembly was solemnly constituted a court to consider the matter.

The case is as follows: One Reube James, a colored man, presented himself as a candidate for the ministry before the Presbytery of Charleston, which is in "the black belt" of South Carolina. The presbytery examined him, and was satis-fied entirely as to his qualifications, but refused to receive him, solely because he was a negro. Exercising its right to review the records of the presbytery, the synod took exception to this action, and ordered that the pretytery reconsider its action and receive James. Elder J. A. Ensice, of Westminster church, Charles-ton, brings the matter before the General Assembly by complaining of this action of the synod.

The first speaker was Elder Ensloe, the mplainant. He disclaimed race preju ce, and spoke of his life-long interest the religious training of the negroes, ut the people of Charleston Presbytery on to deem it wise to permit any ming-ng of the races. His principal point was nat the Book of Church Order does not coognize the relationship of candidates presbyteries; therefore, the synod had to right to force upon the presbytery a elationship which is unconstitutional. Elder W. K. Thompson, of South Caro-ina, represented the synod. He appealed

for the colored race, and said that "we have no right to refuse to license one of its members to carry the Gospel to his own people. There is no fear of race amalgamation in South Carolina. These colored men will be driven to leave our Church and enter the Northern Church, which is holding out its arms to receive A GREAT SPEECH.

A GREAT SPEECH.

The greatest speech of the session, so far, was made by Dr. Woodrow. Among other things he said, was: "I do not recognize the right of the Church to bind my conscience. If my conscience will not permit me to obey the law of the Church, I have a simple remedy. I will not obey. I will withdraw from the Church. Charleston Fresbytery cannot came up here and say that it has conscientious reasons for not obeying the constitution of our Church. If it will not obey, let it withdraw."

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obey, let it withdraw."

The whole afternoon was taken up by
this debate. Most of the speakers expressed themselves as opposed to the inpressed themselves are opposed to the inpressed themselves are opposed to the in-

vote then, and for a few moments there was the utmest confusion. Motions to take a recess, to go on with the vote, and to lay on the table came from all parts of the house. The moderator solved the question by ordering a recess until \$ P. M.

question by ordering a recess until 8 P. M.

The assembly met at 8 P. M. Dr. Rumple presided, at the request of the moderator. Beligious services were held and addresses delivered by Rev. Dr. Craig, secretary of the Home Missions Committee; Silas Bacon, a full-blooded Choctaw Indian, who is a commissioner to the assembly, and Rev. J. P. Gibbons, of Indian Territory. Rev. E. C. Bingham, of Arkansas; Rev. R. R. Rowbotham, of Fiorida; Rev. S. J. McMurray, of Texas, and F. W. Merrin, an elder of Plant City, Fla., spoke of the work among the Mexicans, Cubans, and poor whites of the South. The meeting was very interesting. After the mass-meeting the report of the Home Missions Committee was taken up by section and adopted. Under the head of the invalid fund, Dr. Craig told of a lady, cultivated and refined, the widow of a prominent clergyman, who had been forced to take a position as chambermaid in a hotel, and to cat with negroes, because the committee had not sufficient funds to aid her. Dr. Craig was negroes, because the committee had not sufficient funds to aid her. Dr. Craig was e-elected secretary unanimously. Fifty housand dollars was asked for the

THE NORTHERN METHODISTS.

tion Endeavorers Sat Down On. CLEVELAND, O., May 27.-The feature of this morning's session of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal papers, the committee answered that Church was the adoption of a resolution providing for an immense church insurance company, to compete with the

sion was exciting, and confusion reigned all the morning. If the morning.

The opponents of the insurance proposiion were unable to secure a vote by
rders or by yeas and nays.

great companies of the world. The ses-

The scheme provides for the organiza-tion of a mutual church-insurance company, the affairs to be in charge of a board of insurance, and the company to do a fre, lightning, and tornado business. It was decided that the question of the location of the next General Conference be left to the Book Committee.

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The Christian-Endeavor Society was given a final slap by the adoption of a report deprecating the organization of any societies of Christian Endeavor in the Methodist Church.

The report says that "the great Metho-

dist Church cannot afford to and will not have any societies in its Church known as Epworth leagues or Christian Endeavor." "We must cling to our own particular forms," says the report, "for Endeavor." "We must cling to our own particular forms," says the report, "for we believe it to be for the best interest of our Church and young people." The conference debated the question of

having an assistant secretary for the Ep-worth League to work among the colored people of the South. It was decided to

SIR HENRY AND HIS DOG.

Terrier on the Bench Together. Although Sir Henry Hawkins has re-

ceived the nickname of 'Hanging Hawkins," owing to the severity of the sentences which he is accustomed to impose upon desperadoes and brutal builles, yet there is no Justice on the English Bench of whom the criminal classes are so fond as "'Ennery 'Awkins." This seems almost incredible; but it is an absolute fact, and one well known to the police. This affection on the part of "Bill Sykes" for Sir Henry may be attributed to the devotion of the old gentleman to dumb animals, and, likewise, to the fact that he is a sportsman to the very core, and the only member of the Bench of the High Court who belongs to the Jockey Club. "I am fond of every kind of beast, except a hypocrite," he is wont to remark, and nothing is more

istence that has ever occupied a seat on the bench. Sir Henry used invariably to have his little dog with I'm when he presided at any trial, criminal or civil, Jack being usually attached to his wrist by a long blue ribbon. Many a junior counsel has begulied the telium of a case by watching the ribbon gradually unroll as Jack pursued his investigations, while Sir Henry now and again. hauled in the slack. Only on one occa-sion did Jack so far forget himself as to bark. Sir Henry had made a judicial joke so atrociously bad that Jack raised his occasion, and, with the greatest promptitude, directed the ushers of the court
to "remove that dog from the gallery."
The ushers, of course, did not find any
dog in the gallery, and nobody ventured
to look under the bench, while Str Henry
commented in indignant tones upon the
impudence of people who "brought dogs
to court."

Sir Henry wears his hair very short, and is clean-shaven. On one occasion, after witnessing the Derby, which he makes a point of attending every year, adjourning his court for the purpose, he was waiting to take his ticket at the was waiting to take his ticket at the Epsom railway station, at which there were a number of roughs returning from the races. One of them was rude to the Judge, who remonstrated with him, whereupon the man invited him to go outside and have "what for." Sir Henry then took off his hat, thinking that, as the men were probably of the criminal classes, they would recognize him, and quietly remarked:

"Perhaps you do not know who I am."
"S'elp me. Bob." his assailant said,

"S'elp me. Bob." his assailant said, edging off, "a bloomin' prize-fighter. Not me," and the Judge was not further mo-ested.

led to a curious incident in a skittle alley in a South Country village. Sir Henry, who was out on a ramble between assizes with a companion of like tastes, stopped at a wayside inn and they were soon hard at skittles with two rustics. Things went on pleasantly until, in an un-guarded moment, the Judge removed his moleskin cap. Thereupon one of the rus-tics, eyeing him suspiciously, said: "I don't mind being neighborly, but I'm darned if I'm goin' to play skittles with a ticket-of-leave man."

Nothing is more amusing than the man-

ner in which Sir Henry finds means of adjourning his court over Derby-Day, so is to enable him to get to the ra Usually he invokes privately the service on the ground of pressing business an the impossibility of producing some neces sary piece of evidence. Sir Henry, as rule, will make a great fuss about grant ing the adjournment, require the mossolemn assurances from the counsel that the case cannot possibly go on without the adjournment, and will finally wind up by gravely shaking his finger at man, I fear it is the race you are going to." neel, with the remark, "You naughty

There are few judges on the English bench to whom more witty sayings are attributed than Sir Henry. On one occa-sion, before his elevation to the bench, he was engaged in trying a marine colision case in the Admiralty Court before Justice Channel. The latter was a clever judge, but a sad cockney, dropping his aspirates at every opportunity. In this instance the ship which had been run down off Dover was called the Hannah. The Judge persisted in calling it the Annah. Finally, John Huddieston, who was the counsel for the defence, and an intimate friend and fellow wit of Hawkins, arose and asked whether his "learned brother" would be good enough to inform him what the real name of the inform him what the real name of the sunken vessel was, since part of the time it was being called the Hannah and the remainder of the time the 'Annah.

ON THE APPOMATTOX. THE FOURQUREAN-

TO-DAY'S MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN THE COCKADE CITY.

The Fourth District and the State Democratic Convention - Decoration-Day Speakers-Died in Dinwiddle-Personal and General.

PETERSBURG, VA., May 27 .- (Special.) In the municipal election in this city to-morrow the Democratic general ticket will have no opposition, and in choice value. only two of the six wards will there be any opposition to the Council tickets. In the First and Sixth wards the Repub- | facture. licans have made nominations for the Common Council, and it is understood that the contest in these two wards will be quite lively. In the present Council there is only one Republican. The councilmen elected to-morrow will serve for a term of four years.

DECORATION-DAY.

The services in memory of the thou ands of the Federal dead in the National Cemetery at Poplar Grove, in Dinwiddle, will be under the conduct of the George H. Thomas Post, Grand Army of the Republic, of this city—a small, but a very active post. The addresses on the occasion will be delivered by ex-Governor William E. Cameron and Rev. Dr. H. W. Battle, of this city. The names of the orators are sufficient to attract a large attendance, as well as to assure thorough conservatism.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL. The Fourth District delegation in the State Democratic Convention will be overwheimingly for free silver, and divided on the question of the unit rule. The names most prominently mentioned as delegates to Chicago are those of Senator W. B. McIlwaine and Mr. Sidney Dibes.

Mr. John Milton Steele, a most worthy Mr. John Milton Steele, a most worthy and popular young man, son of Mr. Robert J. Steele, of this city, died at an early hour this morning at his home, near Wilson's Depot, in Dinwiddie county. His remains will be brought here to-morrow morning for interment, and the funeral will take place from the First Baptist church.

The will of the late Councilman George W. Heath was admitted to probale in the Hustings Court to-day, All of the proper-

W. Heath was admitted to probate in the Hustings Court to-day. All of the property of the deceased is left to the widow, who is appointed executive, without bond. Of the \$1.200 needed for the establishment of an "Emergency Ward" at the Home for the Sick in this city, nearly \$900 has been pledged within the last two or three days. The full amount needed will, of course be subscribed at once.

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The pay-car of the Atlantic-Coast Line railroad stopped awhile in this city to-lay and paid off all the road's employees Judge Edmund Waddill, trustee,

Juge Edmind Wanding trustee, announces the public sale of the beautiful residence of the late General William Mahone, on Market street. It is probable, if the bids are not too high, that Mrs. Mahone will buy the property. Among the personal effects of the General, also to be sold, are over 1,200 ounces of solid. to be sold, are over 1.20 ounces of solid eliver and a number of historic paintings. Returns so far received indicate that the race for the Republican nomination or Congress in this district is extremely lose as between Colonel James D. Brady

CAPTURED WHILE ASLEEP,

Az Escaped Prisoner-Williamsburg's Municipal Election. WILLIAMSBURG, May 27 .- (Special.)-

The prisoner, John Mourning, who was convicted at the recent term of York court and given three years in the penitentiary, and who made his escape from Thomas Phillips and a posse at his hom about four miles from Yorktown, Mourn

tion that his pursuers were near.

Major Hugh M. Waller, who suffered a stroke of paralysis of the entire right side. is slightly improved to-day, but is yet in a critical condition. His sisters, Mrs. Page Morris and Mrs. Kate Laughtln, of Lynchburg, and niece, Mrs. Standard, of Durham, N. C. (Lou Belle Morris, that was), are in attendance at his bedside, HOT CONTEST PROMISED.

The municipal contest which takes place here to-morrow promises to be most hotly voice in protest, not so much by way of censure of his master wit as with the largest vote in a town election for object reproving the sycoplances of the junior bar, which had laughed uproaricratic candidate for Mayor. The Repub licans nominated Dr. Leonard Henley. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Bloxton h had as their guests during the week a their home, Russell, in York county, Mr. Ware Hoskins, of Midway, Essex county, and Mr. John Overton, of Elizabeth City, Mr. John Seymour returned last evening

from Richmond, where he attended as delegate of Surprise Lodge, I. O. O. G., the sessions of the District Lodge, which were held in that city.

WORK SUSPENDED.

Work was again suspended last evening on the infirmary building, in course of construction at the Eastern State Hospital, owing to lack of bricks. A carload of bricks came in during the day, and work was resumed this evening. Rev. Bascum Dey, formerly of this town, now of the Dinwiddie circuit, is on a visit to his old home. Mr Dey will preach at the Methodist church Sunday morning and night. Mr. James McCaw, of the Southern

Railroad Company, with headquarters in Norfolk, arrived here this evening, and is stopping with his uncle, Dr. James D. Executive Building,

CHARLOTTESVILLE.

Delegates to the Reunion-Yearlings Shipped to Brooklyn.

(Special.)-Captain Micajah Woods, Dr. J. William Jones, Captain James M. Garnett, Captain Clay Michie, and Colonel R. T. W. Duke have been elected delegates to the United Confederate Veteran reunion and convention. To-morrow will be observed here as Confederate Memorial-Day. The thoroughbred yearlings belonging to Captain R. J. Hancock. owner of "El-lersile"; those of A. D. Payne, owner of

lersile"; those of A. D. Payne, owner of Annita farm, together with eight belong-ing to H. C. and R. M. Beattie, and one each belonging to James Stark, Charles K. Harrison, and John H. Moomau-forty-two in all-were shipped this after-noon to Brooklyn, N. Y., where they will be sold at public auction. Messrs. Arthur Hancock and A. D. Payne had the ani-mals in charge. Effort leaving her the mals in charge. Before leaving here the beautiful colts were viewed by hundred f our people.

Dan, the 9-months-old son of Mr. G. L.

Burton, died this morning at the resi dence of his parents, near Crozet. THE NORFOLK CONTEST.

The Democratic Party in Good Trim

to Win. NORFOLK, VA., May 27 .- (Special.)-

Beginning to-morrow at sunrise there will he here a battle of ballots for municipal supremacy between the Democrats and a party known as the Citizens' Reform party. This latter was two years ago known as the Prohibition - Reform known as the Prohibition-Reform party, and won a fight which was un-usually bitter, much of the acrimony being caused by the Rev. Sam Small, its principal exponent. Realizing that its government was not satisfactory to the enthusiasm on the part of 'he people at the public meetings, which have been held by the party during the past two weeks. The Democratic party, which was

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Ladies' Summer Underwear.

We place on sale for Thursday, Frl. day, and Saturday some unusual values in Ladies' Summer Underwear. It is the best offering in these goods we have ever known, and every one is a

Ladies Swiss-Ribbed Vests, three lots, and each one at about the cost of many.

The usual 17c. grade for 12c. The usual 25c, grade for 17c, The usual 39c, grade for 25c, Ladies' Silk Vests, in White and Cream-three specials,

50c., 75c., 81, Ladies' Fine Gauze Wool Vests, low neck and no sleeves,

Ladies' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Colored Silk Vests, For Three Days, 75c,

Ladies' 50c, Lisle Vests, For Three Days, 35c, Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests, in small

For Three Days, Se. Lisle-Thread Equestrienne Tights, Black and White, open and closed, knee and ankle length, Special Prices,

Ladies' Hosiery.

Ladies' Black Lisle-Thread Hose, ribbed and plain, the best 35c. value in the market. For Three Days, 25c. a Pair,

Ladies' 25c. Fine Black Cotton 2-Thread Hose, with double sole, For Three Days, 17c. Ladies' 35c, Black and Tan Gauze

For Three Days, 25c,

Men's Bicycle Hose, sizes 94 to 11, 25c. n Pair. Misses' Plain Black Hose, fine imported 2-thread goods, regular price

For Three Days, 12 1-2c, Children's Hose.

Children's Black Lisle Hose, fine and

Children's Black and White Socks, sizes 4 to 7, regular price 19c., For Three Days, 121-2c. Boys' Shirt-Waists.

Boys' 50c. Unlaundered White and Colored Shirt-Waists, pleated back and For Three Days, 58c. Boys' 75c. Shirt-Waists, all nicely

laundered, in white and colors, For Three Days, 63c. Corsets.

There is a difference in the comfort you get from Correts. These are all specially adapted for hot weather, and the best of their kind. Summer Ventilating Corsets,

Linen Summer Corsets, delightfully cool, Madras Summer Corsets, very light

Men's Furnishings. A stock that is a store in itself, Many new lines for to-day.

Basement Bargains for to-day. 4-quart Finest Granite-Lipped Sance-

pans, 15c. each, value 48c. Fine Oak Rockers, with hands carved backs, and all-slik bro-upholstery, worth 86.50, for \$1.95 c Austrian- and Carlsbad-China Teu containing 56 pieces, worth \$9, for \$1.5, \$6.50 Decorated Tollet Sets, containing 10 pieces, for \$2.69.

No one shall sell Babu-Carriages cheaper than The Fourgurean - Price Company.

The famous "Wakefield" Carriages at

these prices ; \$8 CARRIAGES AT \$2.95.

810 CARRIAGES AT \$5.50, \$15 CARRIAGES AT \$0.95, \$25 CARRIAGES AT \$10.50, \$22 CARRIAGES AT \$18. \$10.50. "ZERO" Refrigerator made from thoroughly kiln-dried solid oak, pure char-coal filled (the best insulation known)patent drip pipe-easily cleaned-solid galvanized ice racks-the best madeswinging base board-very convenientextra heavy tops—patented automatic air tight locks—genuine solid breaso trimmings—in fact the best refrigerator

on the market. To-day you can buy a \$13 "Zero", Family Size Refrigerator, with a 21-quart Porcelain-lined cooler, for \$6.75. A \$22 Apartment House Refrigerator,

30 inches long, 18 inches deep, 58 mches high, for \$13.50. 200 Genuine "Lo-Lo" Cast-Iron Tank Oil Stoves-can't be beat, 19c.

6-foot Step-Ladders, strong and durable, best \$1.25 Ladders, for 59c, Nursery Refrigerators, galvanized steel lined-best Nursery refrigerator made-a \$5 article for \$1,98.

THE FOURQUREAN-PRICE CO.

very much divided two years ago, is again

united solidly, and a conservative esti-mate places the majority for its licket at 1,000. Bland for Silver.

BLAND COURTHOUSE, VA., May 21.-(Special.)—The Democrafs of Biand cour-try held their convention to-day, sdopted resolutions in favor of the free coinage

of silver at 16 to 1, unconditionally, and endorsing the course of Senator Daniel. The following delegates to Staunton were elected: werd elected:
Delegate at Large—A. H. Williams;
W. T. McNutt, alternate.
Seddon District—S. J. Banks, delegate;
W. W. Bird, alternate.
Mechanicaburg District—John Muzard,
delegate; J. W. Thorn, alternate.
Slavon District—W. K. Grosecloste, delegate; W. G. Waddle, alternate.
Rocky Gap District—Watson Stivers,
delegate; Whitten Carver, alternate.

ASHLAND, VA., May 27.—(Special.)—A dontract was awarded to-day by the Board of Supervisors to B. F. Smith, representing the Western Pireproof Metal Company, for rendering the Clerk's office of Hanover fireproof. The price was \$2.500. An annex or vault will be added, and many other improvements made.

Contract Awarded.

and many other improvements made, Old papers for sale at 25c. a hundred at

While at the bat in the eighth inning he ran back some distance and endeavored to prevent Williams from capturing a foul fly. When a new ball was thrown in he repeatedly disregarded the commands of the umpire by rubbing it in the dirt, and was so obstreperous that Marr came in from the field to read him a lecture on his behavior. The visitors started in to rattle Umpire Moss, a local substitute, and a close decision against them at third base gave them a good opportunity. After that there were several bad decisions against the locals. With second and third occupied, Wrigley sent a hot one just inside the right foul line that would have been good for three bases if it had not been called foul. Williams also hit safely to the same territory, but it

would have been good for three bases is it had not been called foul. Williams also hit safely to the same territory, but it was called foul. Cockman put a man out at third who was called safe.

The visitors did not score until the fifth, when McGhee lined out a two-bagger, advanced to third on Hargrove's long fly to right, and scored on a wild pitch. In the seventh McGhee led off with a hit, going to third on Hill's muff of Hargrove's short fly to centre, scoring on Hall's hit. Heliman sacrificed and White-hill fumbled a hall from Marr's bat, Hargrove scoring. Then Rieman's hit brought in Hall end Marr, and he was thrown out trying to reach second. A double, a sacrifice, a single, and a long fly gave the locals two runs in the second. Three singles gave them another in the sixth, and three safe ones in the seventh increased the score again. In the eighth, after Tate died at first, Williams lined out a double, died at first, Williams lined out a double, and scored on Hill's single. Hill was put out at second, Grove reaching first on the play. A fumble of a ground ball by Grove, and singles by Keefer and White-hill scored two more runs. Score;

PORTSMOUTH.

A.B. R. H. S.H. O. A. E Bourke, 3 b. McGhee, 1 b. Hargrove, c. f.

Wrigley, s. s. 5
Tate, 1 b. . . . 5
Williams, c. . . . 4
Hill, c. f. 3
Grove, i. f. 4 Keefer, r. f. Whitehill, 2 b.

ROANOKE.

SCORE BY INNINGS. 123456785

TWO GAMES IN NORFOLK. The Petersburg Farmers Beaten in Both of Them.

Norfolk and Petersburg played two games here to-day, and the former won both The first was devoid of features except for the punishment of Quarles, the poo fielding by his support, and Pfanmiller's work in the box. It was long drawn-out, and at no time from start to finish did the Farmers have a winning chance. The second game was decidedly more interest-ing. Kitsen was comparatively effective, and with clean support the result would possibly have been different; that is not to possibly have been directent; that is not to say he would have won his game, for his opponent pitched phenomenal ball, and after the first inning only one hit was made off him. Two singles and a passed ball allowed the visitors to score one in the first inning and another man went across the plate in the ninth on errors by Rallewing and Wentz The only two

Ballentine and Wentz. The only run earned by Norfolk was in the sixth, when Wentz led off with a triple and scored on Ramp's single. Score FIRST GAME. Norfolk. A.B. R. H. O. A. E. Armstrong, 1b. Bowerman, c. Furner, r. f..... 4

Stanhope, 1b. 4

Petersburg. A.B. R. H. O. A. E

Breen, 2b. 4

SCORE BY INNINGS. Armstrong (3), Corbett, Wentz, Kelly Stanhope, Wild pitch—Quarles, Base of balls—Off Pfanmiller, 1; off Quarles, 2 Struck out—By Pfanmiller, 4; by Quarles 2. Hit by pitched ball—Turner, Stoler

 Hit by pitched ball—Turner. Stolen bases—Turner (3), Corbett, Quinn, Pfanmiller, and Raffert. Left on bases—Norfolk, 5; Petersburg, 6, Double plays—Ffanmiller, Corbett, and Armstrong; Breen and Stanhope, Time of game—2 hours and 25 minutes, Umpire—Mr, Betts. SECOND GAME. Norfolk. A.B. R. H. O. A. F. McFarland, c. f....... 4 0 0 1 0 Ballentine, s. s...... 3 Stephenson, l. f...... 4

Wentz, 2b. 3

Petersburg. A.B. R. H. O. A. E

 Stanhope, c.
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 Raffert, 1b.
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 Kitsen, p.
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SCORE BY INNINGS.

123456789 Norfolk001111001-Passed balls-Bowerman, 1; Stanhope, 1. Hit by pitched ball-Kitsen, Struck out-By Corbett, 5; by Kitsen, 5. Base on balls-Off Corbett, 3; off Kitsen, 8. Sacrifice hits-Ramp and Dundon. Stolen bases-Ballentine (2), Dundon, Stanhope, and Kitsen. Left on bases-Norfolk, 3; Petersburg, 5. Double plays—Dunden, Breen, and Raffert, 3. Time of game—I hour and 40 minutes. Umpire—Mr. Betts.

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